

relating to chattels, but in such case, if an interested party shall so request, the index of land records and the general alphabetical index provided for in Section 54 of this article, shall include a notation that such instrument has been recorded among such chattel records, and such notation in such indexes shall have the same effect as if such instrument were recorded in full among such land records; all of which books shall be provided by said clerks ~~and each of which books shall contain an alphabetical index of the names of all parties to such instruments of writing as are recorded therein~~; provided that they shall not be required to record or receive for recording, any deed, mortgage, bill of sale, chattel mortgage, or other instrument of writing, unless the fees for recording the same as regulated by law shall first be paid by the person offering the same for record.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1960.

Approved March 2, 1960.

CHAPTER 28

(House Bill 6)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 38 (c) of Article 33 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Elections", sub-title "Registration by Permanent Boards of Registry", to remove a requirement for an affidavit in notices of change of party affiliation and change of address of voters when written notice of such change is given to the Boards of Election Supervisors by mail, AND TO REQUIRE SUCH NOTICES TO BE SIGNED BY THE REGISTRANTS.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 38 (c) of Article 33 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Elections", sub-title "Registration by Permanent Boards of Registry", be and it is hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

38.

(c) Designation or change of party affiliation, or removal to another precinct or district within said city or county, as the case may be, may be made ~~either~~ by written notice, SIGNED BY THE REGISTRANT, ~~[verified by affidavit of the registrant,]~~ sent by mail TO or ~~by calling in person~~ DELIVERED at the board's office. Upon receiving such written notice, the board shall cause the signature to be compared with the original registration records of such applicant, and if such signature appears to be the same, such change of residence or affiliation shall be made on the original and duplicate registration records and the registrant shall be im-

EXPLANATION: *Italics indicate new matter added to existing law.*

[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.

CAPITALS indicate amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken out of bill.